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PART I

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, PUNJAB

NOTIFICATION

The 8th August, 2017

No.20-Leg./2017.- The following Act of the Legislature of the State of Punjab received the assent of the Governor of Punjab on the 31st day of July, 2017, is hereby published for general information:-

**THE PUNJAB MUNICIPAL INFRASTRUCTURE
DEVELOPMENT FUND (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017.**

(Punjab Act No. 16 of 2017)

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ACT

further to amend the Punjab Municipal Infrastructure Development Fund Act, 2011.

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Punjab in the Sixty-eighth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Punjab Municipal Infrastructure Development Fund (Amendment) Act, 2017. Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall come into force on and with effect from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Punjab Municipal Infrastructure Development Fund Act, 2011 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), for the existing long title, the following long title shall be substituted, namely:- Substitution of long title of Punjab Act 11 of 2011.

"to provide for grant-in-aid to the Municipalities with a view to constitute the Punjab Municipal Infrastructure Development Fund to provide financial assistance to the Municipalities for their development and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

3. In the principal Act, in section 2,- Amendment in section 2 of Punjab Act 11 of 2011.

(i) clause (a) shall be omitted; and

(ii) after clause (c), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:-

"(cc) "grant-in-aid" means the grant-in-aid provided from the Consolidated Fund of the State as compensatory payment under the State Budget till the financial year 2020-2021;"

4. In the principal Act, in section 3,-
- (i) for sub-section (2), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:-
- "(2) The grant-in-aid shall be deposited into the Fund:
- Provided that the amount of grant-in-aid, so deposited into the Fund, shall not be less than Rs. 200 crore (Two hundred crore rupees) per annum or proportion thereof:
- Provided further that the amount of grant-in-aid shall increase at the rate of fourteen per cent per annum over the previous year:
- Provided further that the amount of grant-in-aid shall be deposited into the Fund on monthly basis."; and
- (ii) sub-section (3) shall be omitted.
5. In the principal Act, for section 5, the following section shall be substituted, namely:-
- "5. The grant-in-aid, referred to in sub-section (2) of section 3, shall be deposited into the Fund in such manner, as may be prescribed."
- Manner of depositing grant-in-aid.
6. In the principal Act, for section 6, the following section shall be substituted, namely:-
- "6. The Director shall maintain the accounts of the grant-in-aid deposited into the Fund and the expenditure made out of the Fund."
- Maintenance of accounts.
7. In the principal Act, in section 9, in sub-section (2), for clause (b), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-
- "(b) for prescribing the manner in which the amount of grant-in-aid under section 5 is to be deposited. "
- Amendment in section 3 of Punjab Act 11 of 2011.
- Substitution of section 5 of Punjab Act 11 of 2011.
- Substitution of section 6 of Punjab Act 11 of 2011.
- Amendment in section 9 of Punjab Act 11 of 2011.

VIVEK PURI,
Secretary to Government of Punjab,
Department of Legal and Legislative Affairs.

PART III

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT
(TRANSPORT-II BRANCH)**

NOTIFICATION

The 4th August, 2017

No. S.O. 41/C.A.59/1988/S.200/2017.- In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 200 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make an amendment in the Government of Punjab, Department of Transport (Transport-2 Branch), Notification No. 10/166/2009-1T2/1106, dated the 29th June, 2012, namely:-

AMENDMENT

In the said notification, against serial number 1, in column 6, in item 4, for the letters "DTOs/ADTOs", the letters "Assistant Transport Officers" shall be substituted.

SARVJIT SINGH,
Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab,
Department of Transport.

PART III
GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT
(TRANSPORT-II BRANCH)

NOTIFICATION

The 4th August, 2017

No. S.O.42/C.A.59/1988/S.68/2017.- In supersession of the Government of Punjab, Department of Transport, Notification Nos. 5/35/2008-2T2/50, dated the 2nd January, 2009 and No. 3/3/09-IT2/4337, dated the 25th May, 2010, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 68 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to constitute the Regional Transport Authorities, as specified under column 2 of the Table given below, consisting of the State Transport Commissioner, Punjab to exercise and discharge the powers and functions conferred by or under Chapter-V of the said Act, throughout the area, as specified in column 3 of the said Table, namely:-

TABLE

Sr. No.	Name of the Authority	Area of jurisdiction of the Authority (District)
1	Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar	Amritsar and Tran Taran,
2	Regional Transport Authority, Bathinda	Bathinda and Mansa
3	Regional Transport Authority, Faridkot	Faridkot, Sri Muktsar sahib and Moga
4	Regional Transport Authority, Ferozepur	Ferozepur and Fazilka
5	Regional Transport Authority, Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur and Pathankot
6	Regional Transport Authority, Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur and Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar
7	Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar	Jalandhar and Kapurthala
8	Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana	Ludhiana
9	Regional Transport Authority, Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar	Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar and Roop Nagar
10	Regional Transport Authority, Patiala	Patiala and Fatehgarh Sahib
11	Regional Transport Authority, Sangrur	Sangrur and Barnala

SARVJIT SINGH,
Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab,
Department of Transport.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT
(TRANSPORT-II BRANCH)

NOTIFICATION

The 4th August, 2017

No. G.S.R.28/C.A.59/1988/Ss.65 and 212/Amd./201.- The following draft of the rules further to amend the Punjab Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, which the Governor of Punjab proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 65 and 212 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988), is hereby published as required under sub-section (1) of section 212 of the said Act, for the information of the persons likely to be affected thereby.

Notice is hereby given that the draft of rules will be taken into consideration by the Government on or after the expiry of a period of thirty days from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette together with any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Transport, Punjab Civil Secretariat-2, Sector 9, Chandigarh, from any person before the expiry of the period so specified with respect to the said draft, namely:-

DRAFT RULES

1. These rules may be called the Punjab Motor Vehicles (____Amendment) Rules, 2017.
2. In the Punjab Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in rule 3, for sub-rule (1), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"(1) The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Sub-Divisional Magistrate (except the Sub-Divisional Magistrate at the District headquarter where the Secretary, Regional Transport Authority is posted) and the Assistant Transport Officer, shall be the Licensing Authority for the area for which they are appointed as such by the Government to issue licenses under Chapter-II or Chapter-III, as the case may be, of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Including such other officer who is appointed in this behalf by the Government."

3. In the said rules, in rule 238,-
 - (i) clause (e) and the entries relating thereto shall be omitted; and
 - (ii) in clause (g), for the words "Assistant District Transport Officer", the words "Assistant Transport Officer" shall be substituted.

SARVJIT SINGH,
Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab,
Department of Transport.